

Meaning of Taeguek Poomse (Forms/Patterns)



# of Movements	Belt Color	Poom	taeguek	Symbolizes
18	Yellow Belt	Taeguek 1	(il) Jang	Heaven and light
18	Orange	Taeguek 2	(ee) Jang	Joyfulness
20	Green	Taeguek 3	(Sam) Jang	Fire and Sun
20	Blue	Taeguek 4	(Sa) Jang	Thunder
20	Purple	Taeguek 5	(Oh) Jang	Wind
23	Brown	Taeguek 6	(Yook) Jang	Water
25	Red	Taeguek 7	(Chil) Jang	Mountain
24	Red/Black	Taeguek 8	(Pal) Jang	Earth

The World Taekwondo Federation (WTF) has 8 colored belt forms and 9 black belt forms. The colored forms are all numbered one to eight and are called Taeguek. The word "Taeguek" represents the most profound Oriental philosophy from which Oriental philosophical views on the world, cosmos and life are derived.